How can I find additional geographic information, such as the school district, of a particular address?

Data.census.gov does not have an address search feature available. However, you can access geographic information, such as the name of the school district, about a particular address using the Census Geocoder.
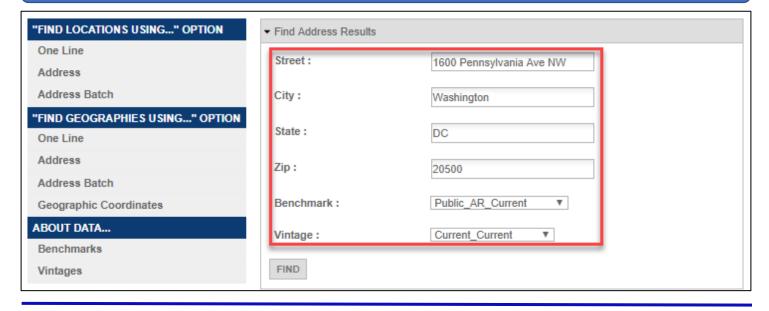
The Geocoder can be accessed at https://geocoding.geo.census.gov/geocoder/geographies/address?form.

Step 1: Select Address under "FIND GEOGRAPHIES USING…" OPTION.

Step 2: Enter the street address.

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Step 3: Hit FIND.

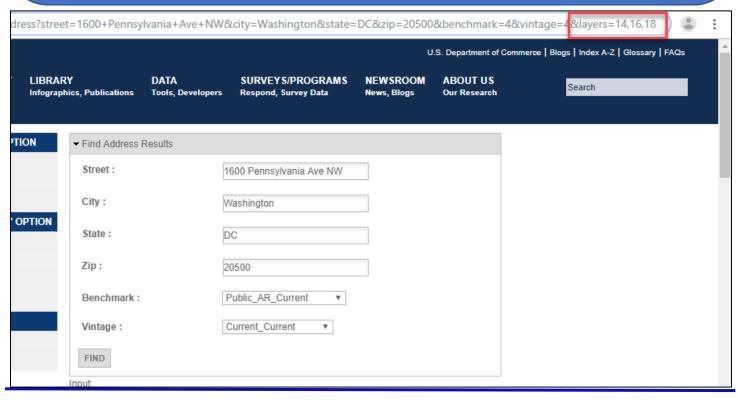| "FIND LOCATIONS USING..." OPTION		Find Address Results	
One Line		Street :	1600 Pennsylvania Ave NW
Address			
Address Batch		City :	Washington
"FIND GEOGRAPHIES USING..." OPTION			
One Line		State :	DC
Address			
Address Batch		Zip :	20500
Geographic Coordinates			
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Vintages		Vintage :	Current_Current ▼
		FIND	

Step 4: The default information provided does not give information about the school district. However, you can manually specify other geographies by editing the end of the URL. To find information about the school district, add **&layers=14,16,18** to the end of the URL and hit Enter. This provides any available information about the unified, secondary, and elementary school districts.

Alternatively, **&layers=14** can be added to only show information for a **unified school district**, or **&layers=16** can be added to only show information for a **secondary school district**, or **&layers=18** can be added to only show information for an **elementary school district**.

dress?street=1600+Pennsylvania+Ave+NW&city=Washington&state=DC&zip=20500&benchmark=4&vintage=4&layers=14,16,18

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Scroll down to the school district sections to view the available information. This particular address only has unified school district information available. Note that there is no secondary or elementary school district information available.

Secondary School Districts:

Unified School Districts:
LOGRADE: PK
GEOID: 1100030
CENTLAT: +38.9047577
AREAWATER: 18712871
STATE: 11
BASENAME: District of Columbia Public Schools
OID: 28490331329267
SDTYP:
LSADC: 00
FUNCSTAT: E
INTPTLAT: +38.9042474
SDUNI: 00030
NAME: District of Columbia Public Schools
OBJECTID: 7033
CENTLON: -077.0162863
HIGRADE: 12
AREALAND: 158314712
INTPTLON: -077.0165167
MTFCC: G5420

Elementary School Districts:

You can find codes for additional geographic area layers at
https://tigerweb.geo.census.gov/arcgis/rest/services/TIGERweb/tigerWMS_Current/MapServer.

More information on using the Census Geocoder can be found at
https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/geography/technical-documentation/complete-technical-documentation/census-geocoder.html.